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Dear Sirs:

Under the proposed rule change 21 CFR part 216 (Docket No. 98N-0182) List of Bulk Drug Substances that may be used in pharmacy compounding, you are considering allowing Dimercapto-1-Propane sulfonic acid (DMPS) to be added to this list. I understand that this would then allow a custom compounding pharmacy to prepare this for my condition under the prescription of my physician.

I believe that this would be of great benefit. I have been diagnosed with mercury toxicity and would like to receive/or have received this treatment. I have experienced no adverse effects and have found it to be very beneficial.

I am asking for the approval of the above rule change.

Sincerely,

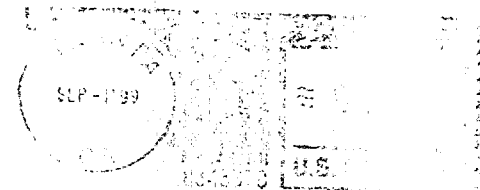
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